

# Exhibit A

State of Alabama Unified Judicial System Form SM-1 (front) Rev. 3/95	<b>STATEMENT OF CLAIM</b> (Complaint) General	Case Number <b>DV 201700085</b>				
IN THE SMALL CLAIMS COURT OF <u>Jefferson County</u> , ALABAMA <u>Imon Washington</u> v. <u>The Scion Group LLC</u> <small>Plaintiff</small> <span style="margin-left: 100px;"><small>(Name of County)</small></span> <span style="margin-left: 100px;"><small>Defendant</small></span>						
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>NOTICE TO EACH DEFENDANT - READ CAREFULLY</b></p> <p>YOU ARE BEING SUED IN THE SMALL CLAIMS COURT BY THE PLAINTIFF(S) SHOWN ABOVE. THE JUDGE HAS NOT YET MADE ANY DECISION IN THIS CASE, AND YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO A TRIAL TO TELL YOUR SIDE.</p> <p>HOWEVER, IF YOU, OR YOUR LAWYER, FAIL TO FILL OUT THE ENCLOSED ANSWER FORM AND DELIVER OR MAIL IT TO THE CLERK AT THE ADDRESS SHOWN BELOW, SO THAT IT WILL GET TO THE CLERK'S OFFICE WITHIN FOURTEEN (14) DAYS AFTER YOU RECEIVE THESE PAPERS, A JUDGMENT CAN BE TAKEN AGAINST YOU FOR THE MONEY OR PROPERTY DEMANDED IN THE FOLLOWING COMPLAINT, ONCE A JUDGMENT HAS BEEN ENTERED AGAINST YOU, YOUR PAYCHECK CAN BE GARNISHED AND/OR YOUR HOME OR PROPERTY SOLD TO SATISFY THAT JUDGMENT.</p>						
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>COMPLAINT</b></p> <p>1. I claim the defendant owes the plaintiff the sum of \$ <u>10,000</u> because: <u>emotional distress per violation of HIPPA laws, breach of contract, untimely payment of commission, working in a hostile environment</u></p> <p>2. Plaintiff also claims from the defendant court costs in the sum of \$ _____ (see note below), plus \$ _____ for interest and \$ <u>0.00</u> for lawyers' fees (only if plaintiff is represented by a licensed, practicing attorney and if the contract or note you signed so provides.)</p> <p><b>NOTE:</b> The total amount of court costs may be more than this amount when the case is finally settled. The clerk will inform you of any additional costs at the close of the case.</p> <table style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> <u>[Signature]</u>            District Court of Jefferson County Civil            Room 500            716 Richard Arrington Jr Blvd N            Birmingham, Alabama 35203            205-325-9831            Clerk's Phone No. _____         </td> <td style="width: 50%; vertical-align: top;"> <u>[Signature]</u>            Plaintiff or Plaintiff's Attorney (Signature)            Attorney Code _____  <u>(205) 239-1119</u>            Plaintiff's or Plaintiff's Attorney's Phone Number         </td> </tr> </table>			<u>[Signature]</u> District Court of Jefferson County Civil Room 500 716 Richard Arrington Jr Blvd N Birmingham, Alabama 35203 205-325-9831 Clerk's Phone No. _____	<u>[Signature]</u> Plaintiff or Plaintiff's Attorney (Signature) Attorney Code _____ <u>(205) 239-1119</u> Plaintiff's or Plaintiff's Attorney's Phone Number		
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<p>(See Instructions on the Back)</p> <p style="text-align: right;"> <b>FILED IN OFFICE</b>  <b>DISTRICT CIVIL DIVISION</b>  <b>MAR 16 2017</b>  <b>ANNE-MARIE ADAMS</b>  <b>CLERK</b> </p>						

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## INSTRUCTIONS TO THE PLAINTIFF'S

This is your case, and if you are acting as your own lawyer, you are responsible in seeing that your claim is successfully presented at each stage of the procedure until it is concluded.

1. You must complete one of these forms for each defendant you wish to sue. Each defendant must be described by his/her correct legal name and address (not a post office box). Be as brief as possible but include every important name, date and place.
2. To start your case you must file the completed form with the clerk assigned to Small Claims cases. The clerk will stamp a copy for you to show that the case has been filed and will insert the number of the case on the front of this form.
3. You are responsible for seeing that each defendant receives a copy of this form. If you haven't heard from anyone about the case in about fourteen days, then check with the clerk's office, to make sure that each defendant has been served.
4. If any of the defendants ask for a trial you will be notified of the place, the date, and the time. You must be present or your case will be dismissed. You may take a judgment by default fourteen (14) days after the defendant has received a copy of this form, if the defendant fails to file his/her Answer.
5. You are responsible to see to the enforcement of any judgment that is awarded to you. It is not the responsibility of the court or the clerk to collect the judgment for you.

ANY TIME YOU CONTACT THE CLERK ABOUT THIS CASE YOU MUST REFER TO THE CASE NUMBER ON THE FRONT.

## INSTRUCTIONS TO SHERIFF OR PROCESS SERVER

To Any Sheriff or Any Person Authorized by Rule 4.1(b)(1) or 4.1(b)(2) of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure to Effect Service in the State of Alabama.

You are hereby commanded to deliver this summons and a copy of the Statement of Claim in this action upon the defendant(s) named \_\_\_\_\_

and make proper return to this court.

Date MAR 18 2017  
**ANNE-MARIE ADAMS**  
 CLERK

*Anne Marie Adams*

Clerk

By \_\_\_\_\_

## RETURN ON SERVICE:

Served on defendant(s) named \_\_\_\_\_

by delivering a copy of the Summons and Statement of Claim to him/her in \_\_\_\_\_

County, Alabama, on (Date) \_\_\_\_\_

Process Server Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Title of Process Server \_\_\_\_\_

This service by certified mail of this Summons and Statement of Claim is initiated upon the request of \_\_\_\_\_ pursuant to Rule 4.1.(c) of the Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure.

Date Requested \_\_\_\_\_

Date Mailed \_\_\_\_\_

Return Receipt Date \_\_\_\_\_

Clerk \_\_\_\_\_

By \_\_\_\_\_

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ALABAMA JUDICIAL DATA CENTER  
DEFENDANTS ANSWER  
DISTRICT CIVIL

CASE:DV 2017 000085.00 RPB

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF JEFFERSON COUNTY DT FILED: 03/16/2017

I'MON WASHINGTON V. THE SCION GROUP LLC ET AL

ROSWOLD JENNIFER  
1300 3RD AVE S

BIRMINGHAM, AL 35233-0000

SSN: 000-00-0000

HOME PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

WORK: \_\_\_\_\_

DEFENDANTS ANSWER TO THE COMPLAINT: PLEASE PRINT

NOTICE: IF YOU HAVE BEEN SUED IN A COUNTY IN WHICH YOU DO NOT LIVE AND IF THE SUIT AGAINST YOU IS NOT FOR SERVICES OR WORK AND LABOR PERFORMED IN THE COUNTY WHERE SUIT HAS BEEN FILED, YOU MAY REQUEST THAT IT BE TRANSFERRED TO YOUR HOME COUNTY. IF THIS APPLIES, COMPLETE "A" BELOW.

## CHECK ONE:

- A ☐ I DO NOT LIVE IN THIS COUNTY, I WANT THIS CASE TRANSFERRED TO MY HOME COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_
- B ☐ I ADMIT EVERYTHING IN THE STATEMENT OF CLAIM AND DO NOT WANT A TRIAL (THIS MEANS THAT YOU CONSENT TO A JUDGMENT FOR THE AMOUNT CLAIMED PLUS COURT COSTS.)
- C ☐ I ADMIT I OWE SOME MONEY, BUT NOT THE TOTAL AMOUNT CLAIMED BY THE PLAINTIFF(S). (IF THIS BLOCK IS CHECKED, THE CASE WILL BE SET FOR TRIAL. PLEASE NOTE THAT ANY MONEY PAID BY YOU ON THIS CLAIM AFTER THE SUIT WAS FILED MAY NOT BE REFLECTED ON THE STATEMENT OF CLAIM WHICH YOU RECEIVED. YOU SHOULD CONTACT THE PERSON WHO HAS SUED YOU OR HIS ATTORNEY TO DETERMINE THE PRESENT BALANCE WHICH IS CLAIMED.)
- D ☐ I DENY THAT I AM RESPONSIBLE AT ALL. (EXPLAIN BELOW)

IF YOU CHECKED "C" OR "D", BRIEFLY EXPLAIN THE REASONS FOR YOUR ANSWER.

NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMPLOYER

BUSINESS PHONE

THIS ANSWER MUST BE SIGNED BY THE PERSON OR PERSONS WHO HAVE BEEN SUED OR THEIR ATTORNEY. AN ANSWER WHICH IS NOT SIGNED OR WHICH IS NOT SIGNED BY THE PROPER PERSON CANNOT BE CONSIDERED.

KEEP A COPY FOR YOUR FILES. MAIL ORIGINAL TO THE COURT ADDRESS BELOW.  
MAIL A COPY TO THE PLAINTIFFS ATTORNEY AT THE ABOVE ADDRESS.

SIGNATURE OF DEFENDANT OR ATTORNEY: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CLERK: ANNE-MARIE ADAMS  
716 R. ARRINGTON BLVD N  
ROOM 500  
BIRMINGHAM AL 35203  
(205) 325-5331

OPERATOR: EVG  
PREPARED: 03/20/2017



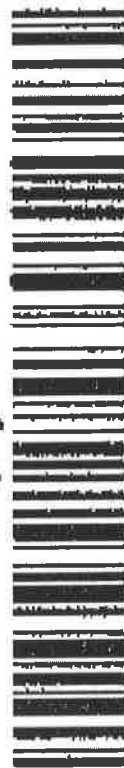
DOCUMENT 2

**SENDER: COMPLETE THIS SECTION**

- Complete items 1, 2, and 3.
- Print your name and address on the reverse so that we can return the card to you.
- Attach this card to the back of the mailpiece, or on the front if space permits.

**1. Article Addressed to:**

The Scion Group LLC  
 444 N Michigan Ave  
 STE 2000  
 Chicago, IL 60611



9590 9402 2181 6193 3748 56

**2. Article Number (Transfer from service label)**

7016 0340 0000 7882 7771

PS Form 3811, July 2015 PSN 7530-02-000-9053

**COMPLETE THIS SECTION ON DELIVERY****A. Signature**
☐ Agent☐ Addressee**B. Received by (Printed Name)****C. Date of Delivery**

3-25-17

**D. Is delivery address different from item 1?**☐ Yes

If YES, enter delivery address below:

☐ No**3. Service Type**☐ Adult Signature☐ Adult Signature Restricted Delivery☐ Certified Mail®☒ Certified Mail Restricted Delivery☐ Collect on Delivery☐ Collect on Delivery Restricted Delivery☐ Insured Mail

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